

**REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS
ATTORNEY OR AGENT AND CHANGE
OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS**

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First Named Inventor	Vladimir Gelfandbein et al.
Art Unit	3766
Examiner Name	Patel, Joy
Attorney Docket Number	3614-191

**To: Commissioner For Patents
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Please withdraw me as attorney for the above identified application, and

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The reasons for this request are:

Applicant/Client instructed us to transfer all files to Christopher P. Moreno at the Vedder Price et al. law firm.
Applicant is aware that we are filing this request.

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In re Appln. of: Vladimir Gelfandbein et al.

Appln. No.: 10/774,333

Filed: February 6, 2004

For: Implantable Device Using Diamond-Like Carbon Coating

Attorney Docket No: 3614/191

Examiner: Patel, Joy

Art Unit: 3766

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TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached is/are:

- ☒ Transmittal Letter; Request for Withdrawal as Attorney or Agent and Change of Correspondence Address and
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ Small Entity.
☐ An extension fee in an amount of \$_____ for a _____-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(____).
☐ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$25=			x \$50=	
Indep.		Minus			x 100=			x \$200=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$180=			+\$360=	
					Total	\$		Total	\$

Fee payment:

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
☐ Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Date: Jan 12, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

Vincent J. Gnoffo
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